Vacant stations for the award of book-stall

1877. SHRI VISHWASRAO RAMRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of Railway stations declared vacant for award of book-stall contract in each Zone/Rlys, after issue of letter No. 73TGIII/461/9/IMP, dated the 5th December, 1973 for Unemployed Graduates and their groups;

(b) the names of the Stations and parties to whom such book-stalls were given Zone-wise; and

(c) the names of the stations still lying vacant in each Zone for book-stalls?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI AJAY SINGH): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Reservation of jobs to Physically Handicapped persons in Central Government/Union Territories

1878. SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons under the 'Physically Handicapped' category in Delhi who have been provided jobs in the Central Government and Union Territories during the last three years;

(b) the number of persons in the Physically handicapped category who had registered in the 'Special Employment Exchange' of the physically handicapped in Delhi during the last three years and till date;

(c) whether it is a fact that very few of the persons registered in that 'Special Employment Exchange' referred to in part (b) above have been provided jobs during the last three years; and

(d) if so, what steps Government propose to take to provide suitable jobs, as per their qualification who have registered their names in Special Employment Exchange?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND WELFARE (SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN): (a) to (c) The information is given in the enclosed Statement (*See* below).

(d) In Central Government and Comparable posts in Central Public Undertakings in C & D group posts 3% vacancies—1% each for the blind, deaf and orthopaedically handicapped have been reserved. Special Employment Exchanges sponsor the names of the registered persons on demand from the employers. In addition, special examinations for the blind and deaf were conducted to clear the backlog of reserved vacancies in the Government & Public Sector Units. Those registered with the Special Employment Exchanges and Vocational Rehabilitation Centres for the Physically Handicapped were eligible to participate in these examinations.

Statement

Number of registrations made and placements effected by the Special Employment Exchange for Physically Handicapped, Delhi.

Year	No. of Registrations made	Number of Placements effected			No. on live Register at the end of Year
		Central Govt.	Union Territory of Delhi	Total	
1987	1446	54	55	198	52 22
1988	1458	163	.	355	5046
1989	1197	108	2	167	5079
1990 (Jan. Feb.)	199	N.A.	N.A.	33	5249

*Excludes information in respect of Public Sector Undertakings under Central Government.